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Circuit Court Clerk's Office Looking for Fox Relatives

The Clerk of the Circuit Court, Gary M. Clemens and his historic records deputy clerks are trying to locate descendants of two half-brothers, Erasmus Hinton Fox (b. 1821) and George K. Fox, Jr., (b. 1832) both born in Loudoun County, Virginia. George K. Fox, Jr. was the Clerk of the County Court of Loudoun (Leesburg) from 1862-1865 and 1870-1872. In February 1862, he was ordered to take all of the court records to Campbell County, Virginia (Rustburg) where he remained with them until July 1865.

His half-brother, Erasmus Fox also traveled and settled in Campbell County and married a local woman, Mary Otey Moorman. He is buried in Evington, Virginia and several generations of his descendants are buried in Spring Hill Cemetery in Lynchburg.



George K. Fox's Gravesite
Union Cemetery, Leesburg, Virginia

The Clerk's Office and several volunteers have been researching George Fox Jr. for many years and are searching for more information. Specifically, the Clerk's Office would like to know if George or Erasmus left any diaries or other writings, photographs or sketches in the possession of their descendants. The Clerk's Office is interested in displaying any of these artifacts as part of our future historic records programs. In July 2015, the Historic Records Division of the Circuit Court Clerk's Office will be celebrating the return of our court records from Campbell County following the conclusion of the Civil War. The Clerk's Office intends to honor George Fox, Jr. as he protected the court records dating from 1757 to 1862, until they could be safely returned home. Diaries and writings from these Fox brothers as well as photographs and sketches of these gentlemen will complement the historic records that will be featured as part of these program.

Some related family names to this FOX branch are: Sulzer, Fauntleroy, Moorman, Mason, Sheetz, Littleton, Kilgour (Kilgore), Hamilton, Cheatwood, Concklin and Marlow.

If you have any information to assist the Clerk's Office with this search, please contact: Eric Larson, Historic Records Manager, by phone at 703-737-8775 or email at Eric.Larson@loudoun.gov.